

English

This term, we will begin by reading **Nimesh the Adventurer**, which explores imagination. Our writing will focus on how to write a simple sentence using capital letters, finger spaces and full stops. We will also begin to use adjectives to make our writing more interesting.

Phonics - We will introduce children to our new phonics scheme, 'Little Wandle'.

Science

We will begin this term by learning about the human body. This will include naming the parts of the body and talking about what they do, understanding which body part is used for each sense and learning how to keep our bodies healthy. We will then start our learning around seasonal changes in 'Autumn'. This will involve looking at evergreen and deciduous trees, studying nocturnal animals, and investigating the best material to wear during the Autumnal weather.

Maths

In Maths this term, the children will be focusing on place value and addition and subtraction of numbers within 10.

They will be looking at sorting, ordering and comparing numbers. We will be introducing the children to equipment and drawings that can support them in their Maths learning and using key vocabulary daily.

Numbots launch day - TBC

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Our Local Area

Theme

R.E.

What do Christians believe God is like? We will explore the parable of The Lost Son.

D.T.

We will be creating healthy fruit kebabs linking to our Science topic.

Geography

We will be learning about our local area and where to find Hastings on a map of the UK.

Music

We will be having weekly sessions with Miss Watson learning about rhythm, pulse and keeping a beat.

Home Learning

Reading

Books will be changed once a week. Please aim to read with your child daily. Once they have read five times in a week, they will be given a raffle ticket, which will be added to the reading raffle (where they could win one of our special books).

Numbots

We would like children to spend 5 minutes per day using Numbots to develop their number skills (username and password inside reading record).

Attendance

We take attendance very seriously at St Paul's. Please ensure your child is in school EVERY day and on time. The classroom doors open at 8.40am.

Computing

This term, children will be introduced to 'Purple Mash'. They will be developing mouse skills and ICT skills using the creative 2DIY in Purple Mash.

Online safety- The children will be learning about self-image and identity.

General Information

Staff: Miss Isden and Mrs Wade 1HI. Mr. Barrett and Miss Hallam 1JB, Miss Blackman, Miss Cattermole and Miss Tabib 1LB/SC

Please feel free to contact us via Dojo

PE Kit: Your child will need to come into school wearing their PE kit on a Tuesday and Thursday.

PSHE/RSHE

We will spend a lot of time ensuring the children feel comfortable returning to school. Our focus this term is 'Me and My Relationships'. We will explore how we are feeling, identifying safe adults who can help us as well as demonstrating kindness towards others and working and playing cooperatively.